

REMARKS

The application has been amended and is believed to be in condition for allowance.

Claims 1-5 were previously pending.

Claims 6-10 correspond generally to claims 1-5, taking into account the formal matters mentioned below.

Claims 1-5 were rejected under §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite.

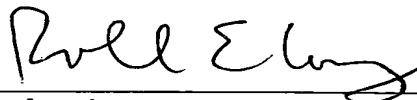
The claims have been amended so as to remedy the stated basis of rejection. Accordingly, reconsideration and withdrawal of the indefiniteness rejection are respectfully requested.

Having addressed the indefiniteness rejection, claims 1-5 and 6-10 are believed to be allowable. Allowance of these claims is therefore respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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